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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated 2 March 2001, Applicants, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.191, hereby appeal the rejection of Claims 1-7, 18, 20 and 22-35. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the 37 CFR 1.17(e) fee of \$300.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. If any further amount is deemed to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Grace Deposit Account No. 07-1765 in the appropriate amount. This document is filed in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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